


Atty. Dkt. No. SALK1470-2
(088802-1852)**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Evans and Forman

Title: METHOD OF TESTING
COMPOUNDS FOR
REGULATION OF
TRANSCRIPTION OF
PEROXISOME PROLIFERATOR
ACTIVATED RECEPTOR-
GAMMA (as amended)

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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